

VZCZCXRO1288

OO RUEHAST RUEHDBU RUEHFL RUEHLA RUEHMRE RUEHPOD RUEHROV RUEHSK RUEHSR

DE RUEHC #7107 1311521

ZNR UUUUU ZZH

O 081609Z MAY 09

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO RUEHVEN/USMISSION USOSCE IMMEDIATE 0237

INFO ORG FOR SECURITY CO OP IN EUR COLLECTIVE PRIORITY

RUEAIIA/CIA WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY 6952

RUEKJCS/SECDEF WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY

RHMFIS/JJOINT STAFF WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY

RHEFDIA/DIA WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY

RHMFIIU/DTRA ALEX WASHINGTON DC PRIORITY

RUESDT/DTRA-OSSES DARMSTADT GE PRIORITY

RHMFIS/HQ USCENCOM MACDILL AFB FL PRIORITY

RHMFIS/CDR USEUCOM VAIHINGEN GE//ECJ5// PRIORITY

RHMFIS/CDRUSAREUR HEIDELBERG GE//POLAD// PRIORITY

UNCLAS STATE 047107

SENSITIVE

C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (ADDED CAPTION)

SIPDIS

E.O. 12958: N/A

TAGS: [OSCE](#) [PARM](#) [PREL](#)

SUBJECT: CFE/JCG: COMMENTS ON DRAFT JCG CONSOLIDATED MATRIX

REF: A. USOSCE 80

[1](#)B. 010549Z APR 09

[1](#)1. (U) This is an action cable.

[1](#)2. (SBU) USDel is requested to provide the following remarks on JCG.TOI/1/09, 31 Mar 09, the chair,s draft JCG Consolidated Matrix, to the chair of the Working Group on Treaty Operation and Implementation before its next meeting.

[1](#)3. (SBU) PARTS 1 and 2. At about the same time this draft was distributed, the U.S. notified corrections to selected holdings declared in its annual information. Based on these corrections (CFE/US/09/13/F00/O), holdings reported for the U.S. in the summary table in Part 1 and the national table in Part 2 should be changed from 561 to 555 ACV; from 186 to 180 AIFV & HACV; and from 216 to 225 combat aircraft.

[1](#)4. (SBU) PART 4. This recapitulation of new equipment notifications introduces two new columns, version of, and 'LAL based on., These elements are not specified in the format for this notification, and in the U.S. cases shown, the entries were not notified. We recall that these additions were circulated in a chair,s perception paper (JCG.TOI/6/08, 10 Apr 08) for discussion and that the TOI chair subsequently issued the final version of the 2008 Consolidated Matrix without these columns. Bearing in mind that these new columns refer to elements that are not included in the referenced notifications, at this time the U.S. prefers that these columns not be included in the 2009 Consolidated Matrix, without prejudice to future discussion by the TOI.

[1](#)5. (SBU) PART 4, CONTINUED. The first four entries for the U.S. in this table give message numbers with the suffix F., The only suffixes available for these messages are O, (original) and C, (corrected). In our case, records reflect that all those listed should end in O.,  
CLINTON